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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

Greetings!

I fully and unequivocally support the DOJ's attempt to settle the lawsuit against Bill Gate's Microsoft Corp.

I am aware, like other Americans, that 9 states have chosen not to sign onto this plan, but I believe that, truly, "enough is enough" and its time to move on, and leave this sordid affair in the past, where it belongs.

High technology, as exemplied by companies like Microsoft, Oracle, Intel, & many, many others, cannot have its ideas, innovations, and such be stifled by "red tape", bureaucracy, lawsuits, and other wasteful government intrusions such as what was begun by the Clinton Administration.

Please use this golden opportunity to end this charade once and for all, and while Microsoft does not escape unscathed, their punishment has already been delivered, and unfortunately, the national economy, the technology industry, and the consumer have all suffered along with them, both directly and indirectly.

Thank you for your time & attention to this note.

God Bless America 9.11.01